

## TANDEM FLUORESCENT PROTEIN CONSTRUCTS

### ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5           This invention provides tandem fluorescent protein  
construct including a donor fluorescent protein moiety, an  
acceptor fluorescent protein moiety and a linker moiety that  
couples the donor and acceptor moieties. The donor and acceptor  
moieties exhibit fluorescence resonance energy transfer which is  
10           eliminated upon cleavage. The constructs are useful in  
enzymatic assays.